

HAZEL GROVE AND BRAMHALL URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

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A N N U A L        R E P O R T

of the

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

for the

YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1942.

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The Council House,  
Hazel Grove.  
14th September, 1943.

To the Chairman and Members of the  
Hazel Grove and Bramhall Urban District Council.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

I have pleasure in submitting the following Report for 1942:-

## 1. Vital Statistics.

Estimated Population, mid 1942 (Civilians only),  
per Registrar General... 18,380.

### Births.

(a) <u>Live Births.</u>	Male.	Female.	Total.	
Legitimate.....	142.	128.	270.	
Illegitimate....	6.	3.	9.	Birth Rate per thousand
				of population = 15.18.
<b>Total Live Births.</b>	<b>148.</b>	<b>131.</b>	<b>279.</b>	(England & Wales = 15.8).

### (b) Still Births.

Legitimate.....	10.	3.	13.	
Illegitimate....	-	-	-	Rate per thousand live
				and still births = 44.52
<b>Total Still Births.</b>	<b>10.</b>	<b>3.</b>	<b>13.</b>	or 0.71 (England & Wales
				= 0.54) per thousand of
				population.

<b>Total Live and Still Births.</b>	<b>158.</b>	<b>134.</b>	<b>292.</b>	
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### Deaths.

(a) <u>All Causes.</u>	98.	113.	211.	Death Rate per thousand
				of population = 11.48.
				(England & Wales = 11.6).

(b) Deaths from Puerperal causes.	-	1.	1.	Rate per thousand total
				births = 3.42.

### (c) Deaths of infants under 1 year.

Legitimate.	12.	-	12.	
Illegitimate.	-	-	-	
<b>Total Infantile Deaths.</b>	<b>12.</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.</b>	

Death Rate, All Infants, per thousand Live Births..... 43.01.  
(England & Wales,..... 49.0).

## 2. Infectious Diseases, including Tuberculosis.

TABLE 1.

Disease.	Number of cases Notified.	Number removed to Hospital.	Deaths.
Scarlet Fever.....	23.	10.	-
Diphtheria.....	11.	11.	3.
Whooping Cough.....	5.	-	1.
Erysipelas.....	2.	1.	-
Measles.....	52.	-	-
Pneumonia.....	4.	1.	1.
Puerperal Pyrexia.....	1.	-	1.
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	2.	2.	1.
<b>Totals.</b>	<b>100.</b>	<b>25.</b>	<b>4.</b>

TABLE 2 - CASES OF TUBERCULOSIS AND MORTALITY.

Age Periods.	NEW CASES.				DEATHS.			
	Respiratory		Non-respiratory		Respiratory		Non-respiratory	
	Male	Female	Male	Female.	Male	Female	Male	Female.
0 - 1 year.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 - 5 years.	-	-	1.	-	-	-	-	-
5 - 15 years.	-	-	2.	1.	-	-	-	-
15 - 25 years.	-	-	-	-	-	1.	-	-
25 - 35 years.	2.	1.	-	-	-	-	-	-
35 - 45 years.	2.	5.	-	-	-	-	-	-
45 - 65 years.	4.	-	-	-	4.	1.	-	-
Over 65 years.	1.	-	-	-	1.	1.	-	-
Totals.	9.	6.	3.	1.	5.	3.	-	-

### 7. Diphtheria Immunisation.

During the year 400 children were immunised against Diphtheria.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Yours respectfully,

J.E.C. WALKER.

Medical Officer of Health.